

WITH THE LOCAL PASTORS

SAYS EVERY MAN
BORN, GOD-SENT

Rev. G. F. Byrer Shows That
All of Have Work Ordained
by God.

That every person born into the world is God-sent and has a commission, a duty to perform and that this work is ordained by God and is for God, is the lesson to be drawn from the sermon by Rev. G. F. Byrer, pastor of the Conference Memorial United Brethren church Sunday in his sermon on "The Christian Commission," which was based on the words of John: "There was a man sent forth from God."

Rev. Byrer said in part: "This is not simply a commission for the preacher, teacher or missionary, but it is the Christian's commission. Every Christian should have a force back of him. An authority that gives him power. He should be able to give a reason for his life and work. We are to live by the principle of the word rather than by the letter. The phrases of the sermon on the mount are beautiful, but we are to be controlled by the truths that they express."

Controlled by God's Purpose. "John the Baptist was controlled by the purpose of God sending him into the world. We are not to live as he lived, but we can live his principles. We are not to imitate his dress but his life."

"When we say there is a man, we mean more than the mere words say. We mean that that man measures up to our ideal of what a man should be. He is different from other men. When we say 'he is a God-sent man,' we mean very much more."

"Jesus came to teach us the value of a man. All Bible history is as appeal to man to be a man as God intended him to be. No other writing give man such honor and dignity. Jesus refers to being God-sent some thirty-one times. This is what gave him authority. That was his commission. Do you realize that you have a commission? That is what gives us positiveness. The first element in any ministry is a Divine call."

"When people look at our life and work will they say 'There is a person sent from God?' This is the Christian's commission, that they are God-sent. There was a man sent from God whose name was ———, put your own name there and see how it is. You ought to realize this in your own life—because of your own people. We are restless, discouraged with our difficulties. If we realize that God has sent you, it will bring peace and quietude."

John Reflected the Light. "John was not the Light, but he reflected the Light. He was not the Word, but he proclaimed the Word. He was not the Way, but he was a guide to the Way. He was God's representative. So are we to be God's representatives."

"How can we live such a life when there are so many contrary views can we live so that our very lives will be a power to bring the vilest sinner to Christ? In this day of seeming popularity of those who do not do anything; in this day of temptation for an easy life, to drift from duty and go with the easy flowing tide, may we remember that we are God appointed to our task?"

HOLDS SALOON SYSTEM
IS A HUGE CONSPIRACY

Rev. A. V. Babbs Declares It Has
No Right to Exist Under
Moral Law.

"The Royal Law" was the subject of a sermon by Rev. Arthur V. Babbs, pastor of the Stull Memorial M. E. church, Sunday. The royal law was defined by Rev. Babbs as the commandment "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself."

The pastor pointed out that this was the royal law because it is the fundamental principle of the kingdom of heaven; because it is the hall mark of true righteousness; because it is the supreme law of which the ten commandments are but so many specifications.

"The Stillest Flag" was the subject of the sermon at the evening services at the church which were devoted to the cause of temperance. Rev. Babbs said that the proposed law coming up at the present session of the legislature which will make the state dry and he urged his hearers to use their influence to support it. In this connection he declared that the well being of a people is superior to any law and that whatever invades against this well being is illegal and has no right to be under the moral law. He styled the American saloon system "a huge conspiracy against the health, well being and morals of the American people" and consequently no matter how it is considered in the law books it has no right to exist.

In preparation for the simultaneous revival services which will begin in all the churches of the city, Feb. 4, there will be cottage prayer meetings for members of the Stull Memorial church at the homes of G. W. Fansler, 220 Ewing ave. and Fred Entzian, 222 S. Lafayette st., on Wednesday and Friday nights, respectively.

SPEAKS AT MISSION

Sunday School Organized at People's Mission.

Rev. J. E. Miller of this city was speaker last night at the People's mission, 521 E. Jefferson st., delivering a sermon on "What Shall I Do With Jesus?"

At yesterday morning's service a Sunday school was formed and plans for the winter were discussed. H. E. Gillis was named superintendent of the school and will have charge of the activities. At a meeting to be held at the mission Tuesday night Rev. E. E. Shouler, pastor of the First Baptist church of Mishawaka will be the special speaker.

SCORES INDIFFERENCE TO
EVANGELISTIC WORK

Rev. H. L. Davis Employs Story of
Phillip the Apostle to Make
Point.

The story of Phillip the Apostle was used by Rev. Henry L. Davis, D. D., pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, to point the moral of his sermon Sunday entitled "A Layman Preacher," in which he scored the indifference of modern laymen in evangelistic work.

Rev. Dr. Davis pointed out that Phillip was not a preacher but a layman. He was one of seven sent apart by the early church to attend to the business of the church. He was also the commissariat of the school of apostles. He had many virtues, was a man of great hospitality and learning, but he is remembered chiefly as a preacher and evangelist.

"There are five characteristics which distinguish Phillip from the average modern layman and church official," said Mr. Davis. "Phillip either began or took part in the great revival of Samaria. The average man 'takes to the woods' when 'revival' is mentioned."

"Phillip obeyed God's voice; this obedience is rarely possessed by both the ministry and layman. He not only took part in the revival but also went into the desert toward Gaza to speak to one man—an Ethiopian eunuch. Most laymen fear to look into the eyes of the individual and say 'thou art the man.'"

"Phillip explained to him the gospel from the text which the Ethiopian was reading. What the church laity of today don't know about the Bible would fill a great book! Finally Phillip was a man of zeal. He went from Jerusalem to Samaria; from Samaria to Gaza, thence to Azotus and from there to Caesarea."

CONTRASTS METHODS OF
CHRIST AND ST. JOHN

Rev. J. S. Burns Says Jesus a Positive
Worker While John a
Negative Evangelist.

John's method and Christ's method of working for the Kingdom that is to come were contrasted by Rev. John S. Burns, pastor of the Trinity Presbyterian church in his sermon Sunday.

"John," said Rev. Mr. Burns, "was a reformer, a criticizer, a negative worker because his view was of an earthly kingdom and a king who was to be feared because his laws concerned the cleansing of the conduct and the reforming of life. His preaching had to do with fasting, prayer and outward conformity to the law."

"Christ, on the other hand, was a fulfiller, a commander, a positive worker because His view was of a heavenly kingdom ruled by a loving heavenly Father whose law was the law of love and had to do with the inner life, right motives and desires. If the heart is right, Christ said, the conduct will be right. So lovingly, patiently and hopefully He sowed the good seed of the Kingdom and patiently waited for it to grow."

"Christ's principles of the kingdom were to be the 'new wines' in old wine skins' give it time and when fermented it will break the wine skins. So these new principles set to working will destroy the evils of the world."

"Christ's method should be the method of every true Christian worker. Let us look for things to command rather than to criticize. Let us cultivate the good seed rather than take the chance of uprooting it with the cockle."

STEAL WHISKEY BY
TUBING THROUGH WALL

One Hundred Gallons Syphoned
Through Wall Before Theft Is
Discovered.

GIRARD, Ala., Jan. 9.—The county sheriff discovered today that thieves using a rubber tube arrangement passed through a hole in a warehouse wall had syphoned out 100 gallons of whiskey seized from recent wholesale liquor raids here.

The berrais from which the whiskey was taken were full a month ago when a special guard was placed at the warehouse because 500 cases of whiskey had been stolen previously. Today members of the guard were replaced.

GETS WOODEN KEY. INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 8.—The "key to the state house" was presented to James P. Goodrich today by I. V. Garten, 88, of Odon. The aged man carved the 30-inch key from bass wood.

SAYS REVIVALS
ALWAYS NEEDED

Rev. W. H. Freshley Declares
History Shows That Good
Results Follow.

"The church that does not have revivals is either dead or dying," declared Rev. W. H. Freshley, pastor of the First Evangelical church, in his sermon on "Why Revivals Are Needed," Sunday. Rev. Freshley said in the course of his sermon, as one of the principal reasons why revivals are necessary, that half of the church members of this city do not attend church services and there are a great many more who do not even pretend that they are affiliated with a church. The sermon was in preparation for the revival campaign which is to begin Feb. 4.

"Those who oppose revivals do so because of ignorance or lack of spirituality," said Rev. Freshley, and he continued: "No church can grow and have influence for good that is lacking in the spirit of evangelism. There is a world of difference between holding services and doing service, between going to church and making the church go. The harvest fields are teeming with ripe grain but we cannot gather this grain with songs and religious services. We must go into the harvest field and work."

History Proves Value. "Why do we believe revivals are needed? Because history proves that revivals are good for the church. The revival on Pentecost gave the church her first great forward movement. During the missionary revival under the leadership of Paul the church made great strides forward. During the great revival under the leadership of Luther the church was saved from stagnation. During the revival of Wesley the church got new life."

"Present day results prove that revivals are good for the church if properly conducted. Revivals are needed because nothing else will arrest the great throngs of men and nominal church members and put them to work for God. Ordinary church services will not reach many because they do not attend. Half the church members of this city do not attend church services, and how can we expect the non-members to attend without special effort on our part? The masses are bent on pleasure and worldliness, and unconsciously two out of every three church members are going with the crowd."

Help Unmask Sin. "Revivals are needed because they will help unmask sin. In our day sin is frequently looked upon as a joke, as a weakness that cannot be helped. Sin is just as damning as ever and its only remedy is repentance and forgiveness. A great revival and baptism will no repentance. A revival will help counteract the materialistic tendency of our time. It will put the Bible in its rightful place. A revival will effect a social and civic betterment of our city."

HARD TO TAKE GOD AT
HIS WORD, SAYS PASTOR

"At first thought it seems very easy to take God at His word but the fact of the matter is that it is one of the hardest things for men to do," declared Rev. George E. Entler, pastor of the Quincy St. Baptist church, in his sermon Sunday on "Taking God at His Word."

The sermon was based on a text from John: "He believed the words Jesus said unto him and went his way." There were several confessions of faith at the services.

"Men demand that their fellow men keep their word and are highly insulted when their own word is doubted, but how much greater is God's right to be believed! Men are flattered when their fellow men take their word and the man who takes God at His word honors Him," continued the speaker, and, continuing, he pointed out how man is continually prone to doubt the word of God in His most solemn pronouncements. In conclusion, he mentioned some of the promises which God has given man and pointed out how each of these have been fulfilled.

During the week, in preparation for the simultaneous revival of all the churches of the city, Feb. 4, there will be meetings of the young men of the Quincy St. Baptist church at the home of LaVerne Johnson, 1407 Lincoln way W. on Tuesday night, and another at a place not yet designated on Friday night. The prayer meeting on Wednesday night will be followed by a teachers' training class. Friday afternoon the Woman's Missionary circle will meet at the home of Mrs. E. J. Wikey, 1936 California av.

The Sunday school board of the Epworth Memorial church meets this evening for the election of officers for the coming year.

REV. A. C. BROWN AT
WESTMINSTER CHURCH

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Winona lake, is one of the church's most forceful speakers. He has been engaged in substitute work for the past several years.

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CHURCH MOVIES
DRAW CHILDREN

Attractive and Appropriate
Reels Shown at Epworth
Memorial Sunday.

Both services at the Epworth Memorial church Sunday were particularly attractive for the children. In the evening educational pictures on the "Seven Wonders of the World."

"The Seven Wonders of America," and on the hymn, "Abide in Me," and "Little Red Riding Hood" were shown. The purpose of the pictorial series was to illustrate the existence of an all-seeing God as evidenced in the works of nature and of man.

"The Boyhood of Jesus" was the topic discussed by the pastor, Rev. A. Hunter Kenna, in his sermon at the morning services. Rev. Kenna pointed out, how, despite the fact that only half a dozen verses of the Bible are given to the boyhood and youth of Jesus, we have a clear picture of this period of his life. He showed how Jesus, although superior to his parents in wisdom, respected, obeyed and revered them; how Jesus developed as any other normal boy ought to develop. In this respect he maintained that contrary to a general opinion which prevails Jesus grew in knowledge as he grew older. The speaker then went on to show how Jesus' early training set an example for parents to emulate. Lastly, he spoke of the habit which he acquired in early life of communing with God and held up the youth of Jesus as the natural model for all Christian youths.

Miss Ruth Witmer entertained about 50 children with the interesting story of Little Red Riding Hood while the reel was being presented at the evening services. Owing to the popularity of the moving pictures they will be continued every Sunday evening for the next several weeks.

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Imagine, you can choose any woman's coat in the house, worth up to \$20, Tuesday with coupon at \$9.45.

Women's \$6 Dress Skirts \$1.75
Just 40 women's and misses' all wool Dress Skirts in this lot, in regular and extra sizes, Tuesday with coupon at \$1.75.

Women's \$10 Winter Coats
A splendid group of women's and misses' fashionable Winter Coats that sold as high as \$12. Only 37 coats in the lot. The materials are wool fancy mixtures and plain colors. A wonderful value for the money. Come early. Choice with coupon \$4.55

\$8 Serge & Silk Dresses \$1.98
While they last, lot of women's and misses' Silk Poplin and Wool Serge Dresses, Tuesday with coupon \$1.98.

Up to \$15 Party Dresses \$3.50
One lot of women's and misses' soiled party dresses, worth up to \$15, Tuesday with coupon \$3.50.

COUPON Women's 1.25 Union Suits 79c
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COUPON 40c Flannel 27c
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For infants, gowns, sacques, kimonos and petticoats, choice 27c.

COUPON Men's \$1.25 Overalls at 87c
Heavy striped Denim Overalls and Jackets, worn in any store \$1.25; all sizes; with coupon, each 87c.

COUPON Girls' \$1.50 Dresses at 89c
School dresses for girls ages 6 to 14 years, made of best gingham and repps.

COUPON Best 65c Rompers 39c
Heavy flannelette in striped patterns, neatly trimmed; all sizes to 6 years.

COUPON 40c Flannel 27c
Wear at... 27c
For infants, gowns, sacques, kimonos and petticoats, choice 27c.

COUPON 3\$ Bed Comforts 1.84
Large size heavy bed comforts, saten or silkoline covered; special with coupon \$1.84.

COUPON 40c Best Brassieres 21c
Women's French Brassieres, beautiful embroidery trimmed front or back styles.

COUPON Up to \$3 Corsets at 79c
Lot of women's Sample Corsets that sold up to \$3. These are slightly mussed from display; with coupon 79c.

COUPON \$1.50 Kid Gloves at 49c
To close out lot of Women's Kid Gloves, in small sizes only; with coupon 49c.

COUPON Up to \$1 Hats at 15c
One lot of children's Corduroy and Velvet Trimmed Hats; just the thing for school; with coupon 15c.

COUPON 65c Flannel 37c
Petticoats 37c
Women's heavy flannelette petticoats in light or dark colors.

COUPON Child's 75c Union Suits 38c
Heavy fleeced or ribbed for boys and girls; sizes to 10 years.

COUPON \$4 Bed Blankets 2.90
An extra heavy wool-nap Blanket, in plaid or plain colors; with coupon, pair \$2.90.

WITH THIS COUPON \$1.50 & \$2 Waists
While they last, lot of Women's beautiful Shirts, slightly mussed from display. Special at 55c

WITH THIS COUPON \$1.50 & \$2.00 Sateen Hat Shapes
While they last, lot of Women's Sateen Hat Shapes, in all colors. Choice at 39c

WITH THIS COUPON Men's \$1.00 Dress Shirts
To close out lot of men's soiled Dress Shirts, broken sizes; with coupon 39c

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While they last, lot of Women's Velvet Trimmed Hats, choice \$1.00

COUPON Child's 75c Sweaters 39c
Fine knit with close fitting collar and pockets; sizes to 25.

COUPON \$5 Bath Robes 2.69
One lot of blanket Bath Robes for men and women; to close out real \$5 value.

COUPON \$1 Framed Pictures 35c
Closing out lot of Framed Pictures, with heavy gilt frame, art subject; with coupon 35c.

COUPON Child's 65c Gowns at 39c
Children's flannel Night Gowns, sizes 6 to 14 years; with coupon 39c

COUPON Child's 75c Sleepers at 38c
Children's warm knit Sleepers, made like the Dr. Denton styles, in ages 2 to 10 years; with coupon 38c.

COUPON \$1.50 Lace Curtains 87c
One lot of Nottingham Lace Curtains in beautiful patterns, to close out with coupon, pair 87c.

COUPON Boys' 75c Waists at 42c
Made of best gingham, madras and percales; all sizes; with coupon 42c.

COUPON Boys' \$1 Knickers 68c
Boys' serviceable school Knicker Trousers that are made strong.

COUPON \$1 House Aprons at 59c
Lot of women's House Dress Aprons, made of fast color percales; all sizes, at 59c.

COUPON 75c Envel. Chemise 44c
Women's Envelope Chemise, beautiful embroidery and lace trimmed; all sizes; with coupon 44c.

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